

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

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**Day 1 (Tuesday):** Gusty conditions will prevail across the southern California mountains and deserts and into the Sacramento Valley today and tonight, leading to locally elevated fire weather conditions.

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**04/13/21 - 04/19/21**

## **Tuesday-Monday**

- Gusty winds of 30-50 mph are expected over the Sierra, Sacramento Valley, and southern California through midweek, strongest on Tuesday, with locally elevated fire weather conditions.
  - Some gusts to 60+ mph are possible over the Mojave Desert on Tuesday.
- Much cooler conditions for much of the state through Wednesday, with the exception of the southern deserts where some heat impacts will continue due to very warm temperatures
- Some light snow is possible over the Sierra through Wednesday, though any accumulation looks minimal
- Dry conditions with warming temperatures expected for late week into next weekend



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

04/13/21 - 04/19/21

| <u>Hazards / Day</u>  | TUE                 | WED                 | THU | FRI | SAT | SUN | MON |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>Non-Thunderstorm<br/>Damaging Winds</b>                          | Southern/<br>Inland | Southern            |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Snow</b>   | Sierra              | Sierra              |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Coastal Flooding</b>   |                     |                     |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>River Flooding</b>   |                     |                     |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Thunderstorms</b><br>(Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)                   |                     |                     |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Fire Weather</b><br>(Low Humidity / Wind /<br>Dry Thunderstorms) | Inland/<br>Southern | Inland/<br>Southern |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Heat Risk</b>  |                     |                     |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/<br/>Debris Flow</b>                   |                     |                     |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Cold</b>   |                     |                     |     |     |     |     |     |



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



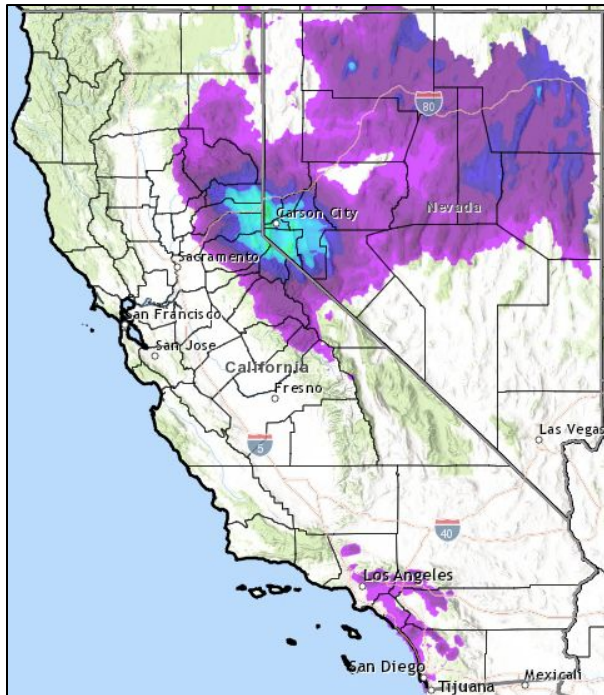
Moderate Impacts



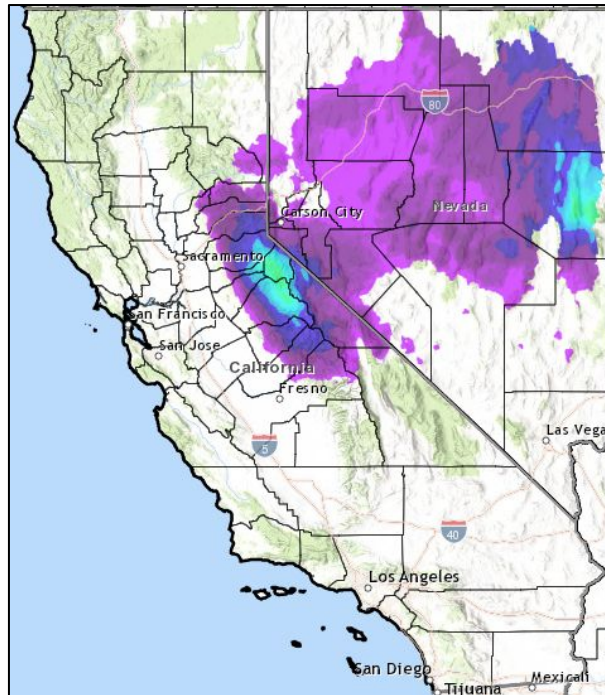
Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

04/13/21 - 04/15/21



Tuesday



Wednesday



Thursday

Precipitation (inches)



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**04/18/21 - 04/26/21**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (April 18 – April 22)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures are strongly favored for the entire state

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for northern California, with near normal precipitation favored for southern California

## **8-14 Day Outlook (April 20 – April 26)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures are strongly favored to continue

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is strongly favored for much of the state



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